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From: Commanding Officer
To: Commanding General, 1st Marine Aircraft Wing (Supervisory Authority)

Subj: Delay in preferring charges, case of Private First Class Lee H. OSWALD 1653230 USMC

Ref: (a) Report of Investigation, Case 15-58, Criminal Investigation Section, Office of the Provost Marshal, MAG-11, NAS Atsugi, Japan

1. In the subject case, the delay in preferring charges was the result of the following factors:

a. Private First Class OSWALD was confined at the Naval Hospital Yokosuka, Japan undergoing treatment for the gunshot wound from 27 October 1957 to 16 November 1957.

b. This organization was on extended field manuevers from 18 November to 18 March 1958 during which time the investigation could not be handled by squadron personnel.

c. The Report of Investigation by the MAG-11 Provost Marshal (Ref a) was not completed until 7 April 1958 and not received until 9 April 1958.

d. Office hours were held on 10 April 1958 and the Charge Sheet prepared on 11 April 1958.

2. During the period between the commission of the offense and his court-martial Private First Class OSWALD was not subject to any disciplinary restraint and it is not considered that the delay resulted in any injustice.

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